

Anna sends love - Mrs Perkins would if she  
knew I was writing - Mrs I has put on a large  
Kitchen which improves her home - I called on  
at Mrs Heath's & she spent last evening here  
kind love to Mrs Tichenor I knew you would  
hasten home as soon as I heard he was sick -  
I am glad Hattie is improving in health &  
don't see how she can help doing so.  
Write as often as you can I haven't much  
to write about lately

Very truly your mother  
Jm. Clark

Santa Cruz

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French Lick

Yours written Sunday was  
rec'd last evening & was most welcome  
I was very sorry Mrs Tichenor was  
ill & that your visit must as usual  
this summer be cut short - but I  
do hope you can persuade Mr I  
to go to the Springs for a day or  
two at a time - what was the  
matter with him? I was all ready  
Thursday to go to FZ & Company  
came in - Ching said Mr I was  
at home & I feared he was not  
feeling well - as it was early  
in the afternoon - I hope he is  
quite well now - The weather is  
delightful here the bus takes Anne  
at half past ten & I walk down  
to the beach - She takes a bath



at the museum when you were there at the ranch a  
young lady - he seems a great favorite - he has a nice  
wife & two little girls I think - he boards at Mrs  
Scully's there are very few people here now altho'  
it is very delightful as you could not & very little  
wind - I see no chance how long I shall be here  
it seems best Anna should stay as long as she  
enjoys it I hope after a time Lucy will come  
down & stay a week or so -

I'm so glad you are at home to look after little  
I comforted her faithfully - I don't see how you  
manage to get rid of the phar if you keep her  
in the water - Will you be able to go to the  
Opera - is Mr. T. well enough? Love to the family  
in Haverhill St. - I hope you will see your father  
often tho' I don't think he is much conversant -

and then sits till lunch time on  
the beach in the sun - I think she  
is quite as well as she was - better  
a little - Mrs Perkins has very quiet  
boarders - Miss Pratt & the invalid  
girl occupy the front room - a  
German lady the one at the head of  
the stairs & I the one opposite the  
front room door - mine, is a very  
sunny room & the bed altho' a  
single one is very comfortable  
A nice little German lady & baby have  
the cottage how delightful it would  
be if Harry, Bessy & you were  
here now - Mrs Perkins has  
taken up her dining room  
carpet & the walking on the  
floor is terrible - I wish Mrs  
P could take things a little  
easier - I hope she'll learn  
to do some time - I saw at  
the beach Mr & Mrs Brayton  
& a Mr Messer & his family  
you remember him as a merchant







than when we came down - she certainly  
enjoys being here & I am so glad  
the idea was put in her mind to  
come ~~down~~ - The Company is such  
that she is just as free & easy at  
her own home & Mrs Perkins  
does every thing possible for  
her. I wish you could come down  
for a few days it would do you  
good - I heard Annie was not  
as well have you heard from  
her of late? - she has had too  
full a house I guess - this idea  
of their entertaining so many  
ministers was unreasonable  
in the extreme - Annie hopes to  
see Mr Sile - I hope he will  
come - I cant write very long  
letters as I must write home  
with much love

M. C



Brown Borders.  
Blue Neckpaper.  
Two Blue Ribbons.

Sunday - Week here  
Antioch -  
Dana may cheer  
Wash. at make muffs  
Monday - Get money  
Kitty M. Wallace  
look up "Love's Labor's Lost"



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